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THE DELIVERY OF A NUCLEIC ACID TO A CELL
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REQUEST FOR LISTING OF REFERENCES

Applicants in the above-identified application are submitting herewith the following documents listing references that were considered and made of record in connection with Applicants' related patent applications:

A. Parent U.S. Application No. 09/851,327, filed May 9, 2001:

1. Form PTO/SB/08 from Information Disclosure Statement filed August 27, 2002.
2. Form PTO-892 Notice of References Cited (Part of Paper No. 10) from Official Action mailed December 18, 2002.

B. International Application No. PCT/US01/40706, filed October 5, 2001:

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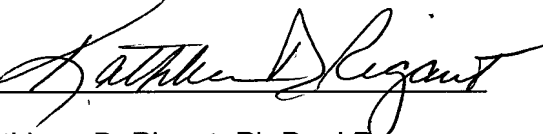
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